

Attachment 1

Authorization and Eligibility Requirements

1.2 Eligible Applicant Documentation

1.2.1 1. Is the applicant a local agency as defined in Appendix B of the Guidelines? Please explain.

The City of Salinas is an incorporated City of the State of California and as such is a local agency as defined in Appendix B of the Guidelines.

1.2.2 What is the statutory or other legal authority under which the applicant was formed and is authorized to operate?

The City of Salinas was officially incorporated as a municipality by the State of California in 1874. The City of Salinas is a general law municipal entity, organized pursuant to resolution 1 under the authority provided by Government Code Section 34102 (see also Government Code Section 34851 et seq., establishing the basic organization structure for general law cities). As a general law city, Salinas has all powers established by general laws enacted by the California State Legislature, as well as all powers conferred by the California Constitution.]

1.2.3 Does the applicant have legal authority to enter into a grant agreement with the State of California?

In California, general law cities such as the City of Salinas are authorized directly and by implication to accept grants from other public entities that are authorized by appropriate law to make such grants. See for example: Government Code Sections 16366.1-16367.8; Health and Safety Code Section 50517.5; Public Resources Code Section 5096.151. The Salinas City Council is anticipated to adopt a Resolution on August 19, 2014 (at the next City Council meeting) to provide the City express authority to enter into a grant agreement with the State of California.

1.2.4 Describe any legal agreements among partner agencies and/or organizations that ensure performance of the Proposal and tracking of funds.

When awarded work of this nature, we enter into formal contractual agreements with any partner agencies or organizations that will be receiving funds. Terms and Conditions of our agreement with the State are incorporated into those agreements as an addendum. Sub-recipient agreements between the City of Salinas and the other project proponent will be entered into after receipt of notification that the grant funds have been awarded.